Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

CC Docket No. 02-6

## Commissioners,

I am writing to ask for a request for review concerning the funding commitment decision letter denying funding for funding year 2012 for Columbus Grove Local Schools.

**Applicant Name: Columbus Grove Local Schools** 

Funding Request Number: 2346505

Service Provider Name: Northwest Ohio Area Computer Services Cooperative

Applicant BEN: 130116

SPIN: 143024461 471 Form: 861705

The decision we are appealing is as follows: "FCC Rules require that a contract be signed and dated by the applicant prior to the filing of the FCC Form 471 for the products and services requested. This requirement was not met."

After waiting the proper number of days (28) to select our provider, I made a mistake in the process of having the contract signed. I received the contract from our provider and turned it over to our board for official acceptance and signatures on 3/15/2012. When submitting our 471 application, I dated it for that day. The contract was then not actually signed until 3/27/2012. Because this was an honest clerical mistake, we are requesting that the decision be reversed and the funding for this request be approved.

The appeal can be discussed directly with myself:

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Thank you for your time and consideration,

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